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**CONTROLLING THE** )  
**DRIVE MOTOR OF A** )  
**POSITIVE** )  
**DISPLACEMENT** )  
**VACUUM PUMP** )  
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**AMENDMENT F**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the non-final Office Action of December 22, 2010.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.

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